

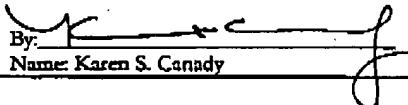
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Applicants: Anatoly Bukovsky et al
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION & AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated June 13, 2005, please enter the following amendments in the above-identified application. The Advisory Action indicated that the period for reply expires on the mailing date of the Advisory Action. Submitted herewith is a request for a one-month extension of time, extending the period for reply to today, July 13, 2005.

Amendment to the specification begins at page 2.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 3.

Remarks begin at page 5.